

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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**In re: Methyl Tertiary Butyl Ether
("MTBE") Products Liability Litigation**

This document applies to:

All Cases

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: **MDL No. 1358 (SAS)**

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: **Master File No. 1:00-1898**

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: **SUPPLEMENTAL RULE 7.1**
: **STATEMENT OF DEFENDANT**
: **LYONDELL CHEMICAL**
: **COMPANY**
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Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1 and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, the undersigned counsel for Defendant, Lyondell Chemical Company ("Lyondell"), certifies that Lyondell has no parent corporation and that the only publicly held corporation which owns more than 10% of Lyondell's stock is Barrow, Hanley, Mewhinney & Strauss, Inc.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Supplemental Rule 7.1 Statement of Defendant Lyondell Chemical Company was served this 19th day of April, 2007 upon all counsel of record via Lexis Nexis file and serve.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeffrey Moller", is written over a horizontal line.

JEFFREY S. MOLLER